

# FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: May 11, 2021

## **Daily COVID-19 Update for Montgomery County**

Status Update from the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management

MONTGOMERY COUNTY – Montgomery County Public Health District, in conjunction with the Montgomery County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, would like to encourage residents to be vaccinated against COVID-19.

St. Luke's and Lone Star Family Health Center are offering second doses at Woodforest Stadium on certain days this week. If you have questions, please call the Montgomery County COVID-19 Call Center at 936-523-3916. The call center is available Monday - Thursday from 8:00am - 4:30pm or Friday from 8:00 - 4:00pm.

Other hospitals, physicians' offices, and pharmacies also have vaccines available for all adults. Please check their websites and Facebook pages for additional information. You can find a list of providers and additional information on the DSHS website

here: https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/immunize/vaccine-hubs.aspx.

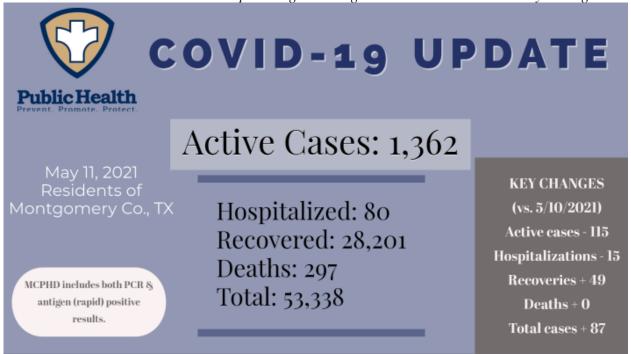
#### Today, we can confirm:

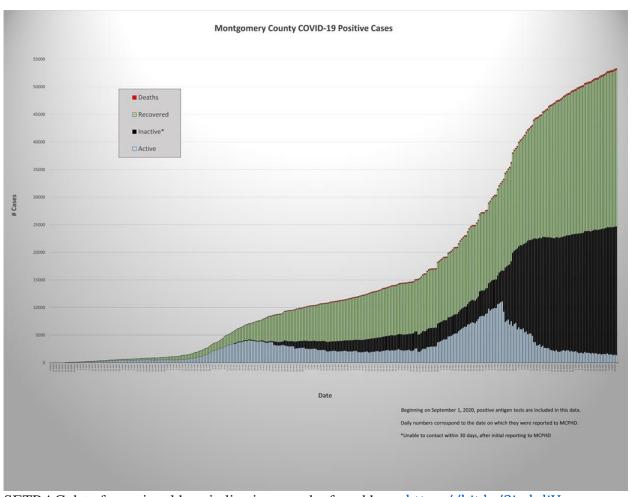
- TOTAL cases of COVID-19 increased by 87 to 53,338 since Monday's (5/10) report. All 87 new cases were tested since 4/29/2021.
- ACTIVE cases of COVID-19 decreased by 115 to 1,362 since Monday's (5/10) report. On Tuesdays and Fridays, we account for additional cases we have been unable to contact for 30 days or more. Today, we added 152 inactive cases.
- 80 county residents are known, as a result of contact investigations, to be in the hospital. Contact investigations have not been initiated on all reported cases.
- 28,201 people have clinically recovered.

The Testing Positivity Rate for Montgomery County remains at 8% for the 4<sup>th</sup> consecutive week. This number is updated weekly on Wednesdays.

Source: UT Health, School of Public Health

\*These numbers include PCR and rapid antigen testing. We do not include antibody testing.





SETRAC data for regional hospitalizations can be found here: <a href="https://bit.ly/3jwhdiV">https://bit.ly/3jwhdiV</a>.

The COVID-19 dashboard for Montgomery County can be found here: <a href="https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/">https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/</a>.

#### Do your part to slow the spread of COVID-19.

- Get vaccinated.
- Avoid groups of people.
- Practice social distancing.
- Wear a mask in public (over your nose and mouth) or with others who live outside your household. Never share a mask with others.
- Teach children proper hygiene and the correct way to wear a mask.
- Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.
- Disinfect surfaces in your car and around your home.

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